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OF RUNFLAT TIRE**  
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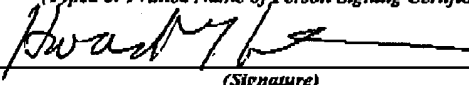
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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated January 29, 2004 having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire in three months or on April 29, 2004. A petition for a one month extension of time to May 29, 2004 is attached. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

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